GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

General Administration Department - Enactment of Public Records Law Compatible with the Right to Information Act to promote transparency and strengthen people's Right to Information - Permission to study - Orders - Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (GPM&AR) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 4274

<u>Date:21-9-2011</u> <u>Read the following:-</u>

Ref: From the Director General & Executive Director, Centre for Good Governance Letter No.CGG/DG/20-5/2011-2, dt.27-8-2011.

<u>O R D E R</u>:

In order to promote transparency and strengthen people's Right to Information, it is necessary to enact a Law on Public Records on par with Government of India's "Public Records Act", 1993, so as to preserve Public Records.

- 2. In the letter read above, the Director General & Executive Director, Centre for Good Governance has sent proposal to Government to initiate a study and preparation of Draft Bill on Public Records.
- 3. Government after careful examination hereby accord permission to the Director General & Executive Director, Centre for Good Governance to initiate a detailed study and prepare Draft Bill on Public Records.
- 4. The expenditure involved in preparing the Draft Bill on Public Records shall be met from the funds already released under Reform Incentive Fund.
- 5. This order does not require concurrence of Finance Department.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MINNIE MATHEW SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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